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Applicant: Srinath Krishnan

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SILICON PROCESSES

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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION**  
**TRANSMITTAL**

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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the nonprovisional utility patent application of:

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Enclosed are:

- [ X ] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (20 pages).
- [ X ] Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (5 pages).
- [ X ] Formal Drawings Transmittal (1 page).
- [ X ] Formal drawings (7 sheets, Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13).

- ☒ Assignment of the invention to Advanced Micro Devices, Inc. (3 pages).
- ☒ Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (1 page).
- ☒ Check number 13591 in the amount of \$40.00 for Assignment recordation.
- ☒ Request for application not to be published with certification under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i) (1 page).
- ☒ Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76) (4 pages).

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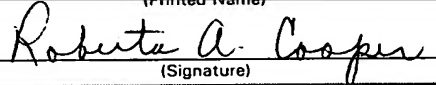
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**REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in the attached application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. Applicant hereby requests that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

Respectfully submitted,

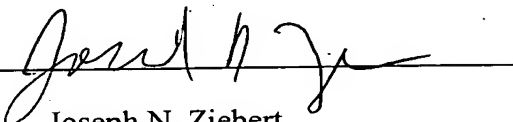
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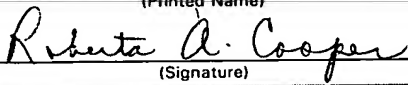
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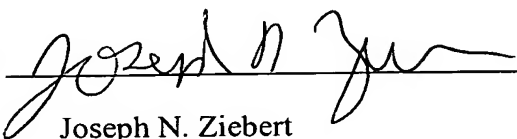
Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the formal drawings (7 sheets, Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13) for the above-identified application. The Official Draftsperson is respectfully requested to approve these drawings for entry into the application.

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